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Ms. Donna R. Searcy  
Secretary  
Federal Communications Commission  
1919 M Street, NW  
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Washington, D.C. 20554

Re: ET Docket No. 92-298

Dear Madam Secretary:

Because of the attendant urgency, facsimile copies of Mr. Kahn's request for extension of time were filed with the Commission yesterday afternoon.

The original has now been received and is enclosed herewith. You are requested to substitute it for one of the facsimile copies previously filed.

Respectfully submitted,

  
William Malone

Attorney for  
Leonard R. Kahn

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FEDERAL COMMUNICATIONS COMMISSION  
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Before the  
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Washington, D.C. 20554

In re

Amendment to the Commission's  
Rules to Establish a Single  
AM Radio Stereophonic  
Transmitting Equipment Standard

ET Docket No.  
92-298

REQUEST FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

Leonard R. Kahn, the proponent of one of the Kahn ISB AM Stereo system, requests that the deadline for reply comments be extended for two weeks to allow engineers throughout the country adequate time to file reply comments herein. A crucial issue before the Commission is whether the Motorola stereo system performs well, or even adequately, in the field. No one has more experience on this question than broadcast engineers who live with the challenge of delivering a listenable signal to listeners in their service areas.

The two-week period for comments is insufficient for information about the opening comments in this proceeding to get to them and for them to respond from out-of-town. The undersigned has had numerous telephone conversations with such broadcast engineers who want to comment in this proceeding but

have been advised by the Staff that originals of their comments must be received by the Secretary's office today. Further, the deadline falls during the annual NAB convention. The Commission should neither disenfranchise those engineers residing beyond the Beltway nor deny itself the benefit of their experience.

For these reasons the undersigned requests that the Commission receive comments herein received on or before May 5, 1993.

Respectfully submitted,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'Leonard R. Kahn', with a stylized flourish extending to the right.

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